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SUBJECT: VISIT BY PRESIDENT OF FEDERAL RESERVE BANK
OF CHICAGO

1. THIS OFFICIAL, WHO IS ROBERT P. MAYO, WILL BE
TRAVELLING TO ABOVE POSTS WITH HIS WIFE AND JOSEPH
KVASNICKA, BANK'S VICE PRESIDENT AND ECONOMIC ADVISOR,
IN PERIOD OCT 25 THROUGH NOV 14. MAYO HAS NO SPECIFIC
MISSION. HE WILL WISH TO DISCUSS CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS IN
HOST COUNTRY ECONOMIES AND TO RENEW CONTACTS WITH CERTAIN
HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND U.S. BANK REPRESENTATIVES
AND WILL BE PREPARED TO COMMENT ON U.S. ECONOMIC TRENDS
AND ON ISSUE OF U.S. LEGISLATION DIRECTED AT FOREIGN

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2. LETTERS WILL BE GOING OUT SHORTLY FROM FRB CHAIRMAN BURNS OR VICE CHAIRMAN MITCHELL TO CERTAIN CENTRAL BANK GOVERNORS AND TO MANAGING DIRECTOR OF SINGAPORE MONETARY AUTHORITY ASKING THAT MR. MAYO BE RECEIVED. MR. MAYO'S BANK WILL BE ARRANGING MEETINGS FOR HIM WITH LOCAL MANAGERS OF 7TH FRB DISTRICT BANKS (CONTINENTAL ILLINOIS, FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CHICAGO; IN JAPAN - DAI ICHI BANK, SANWA, BANK OF TOKYO). CORRESPONDENCE IS IN PROGRESS CONCERNING MR. MAYO'S ADDRESS TO AMERICAN BUSINESS COUNCIL

IN SINGAPORE SOMETIME ON NOV 4. CHICAGO ASSOCIATION OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY IS ARRANGING MR. MAYO'S WEEK-LONG SCHEDULE IN JAPAN.

3. MR. MAYO WOULD APPRECIATE ADDRESSEE POST ASSISTANCE IN ARRANGING COURTESY CALL APPOINTMENTS FOR HIM WITH CERTAIN CENTRAL BANK GOVERNORS (MICHAEL WONG PAK-SHONG IN SINGAPORE), GROUP MEETINGS WITH LOCAL AMERICAN BANKERS AND BUSINESSMEN, EMBASSY BRIEFINGS, AND CALLS UPON MINISTRY OF FINANCE OFFICIALS, MORE OR LESS IN THIS ORDER OF PRIORITY AND AS TIME PERMITS. IF BREAKFASTS OR LUNCHEONS ARE FEASIBLE FOR MEETINGS WITH AMERICAN BUSINESS COMMUNITY IN BANGKOK, KUALA LUMPUR AND JAKARTA, MAYO IS AMENABLE TO THEM AND IS WILLING TO MAKE BRIEF INFORMAL ADDRESSES.

4. FOR HONG KONG: CALLS ON GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS UNNECESSARY, SINCE MR. MAYO VISITED THEM ON HIS LAST TRIP.

5. FOR TOKYO: MR. MAYO WOULD PREFER THAT ONLY EMBASSY ARRANGE TO MEET HIM AT AIRPORT NOV 5 TO AVOID EMBARRASSMENT CAUSED BY ARRIVAL OF SEVERAL PROFFERED LIMOUSINES. COULD TREASURY ATTACHE DO NECESSARY COORDINATION?

6. ITINERARY FOLLOWS:

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DEP BANGKOK OCT 29 1815 HRS
ARR KUALA LUMPUR OCT 29 2035 HRS TG 415 KL HILTON
DEP KUALA LUMPUR OCT 30 2010 HRS
ARR JAKARTA OCT 30 2135 HRS CX 171 INTERCONTINENTAL

DEP JAKARTA OCT 31 1945 HRS
ARR DENPASAR OCT 31 2130 HRS GA 688 BALI-HYATT
DEP DENPASAR NOV 3 1030 HRS GA 683 (JAKARTA)
ARR SINGAPORE NOV 3 1500 HRS GA 984 HYATT-SPR
DEP SINGAPORE NOV 5 1050 HRS
ARR TOKYO NOV 5 2130 HRS JL 712 IMPERIAL
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